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## FOND DU LAC AREA ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE

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August 24, 2015

The Honorable Thomas Wheeler Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street S.W. Washington D.C. 20554

RE; In the matter of the Applications of Charter Communications, Inc. Time Warner Cable Inc. and Advance/Newhouse Partnership for the Consent to the Transfer of Control of Licenses and Authorizations, MB Docket No. 15-149

Dear Chairman Wheeler;

The Fond du Lac Association of Commerce is a membership based organization of over 850 companies and more than 20,000full and part-time employees. This letter is to inform you of our support for the proposed merger of Charter Communications, Inc. and Time Warner Cable, Inc. and the creation of New Charter.

As a business organization we understand the in need for fast, reliable and cost effective broadband, and the proposed New Charter will help keep our area of Wisconsin at the leading edge of technology through infrastructure investment and accessibility. Our members, whether involved in manufacturing, health care, service, retail or agriculture, all rely on broadband and the proposed merger will improve service and connectivity within our region.

Charter Communications and Time Warner have been excellent employers in Northeast Wisconsin and will continue in that tradition while offering a quality product that our companies and employees need.

The Fond du Lac Association of Commerce urges you to support the Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Network merger.

Thank you for your time and consideration, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

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